

House File 432 - Enrolled

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1 1 HOUSE FILE 432
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1 3 AN ACT
1 4 RELATING TO ABUSE OF A HUMAN CORPSE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES.
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1 6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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1 8 Section 1. Section 229A.2, subsection 10, paragraph a,
1 9 Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:
1 10 a. A violation of any provision of chapter 709, except
1 11 section 709.18, subsection 2 or 3.
1 12 Sec. 2. Section 709.18, Code 2007, is amended to read as
1 13 follows:
1 14 709.18 ABUSE OF A CORPSE.
1 15 1. A person commits abuse of a human corpse if the person
1 16 knowingly and intentionally engages in a sex act, as defined
1 17 in section 702.17, with a human corpse. ~~Abuse of a human~~
~~1 18 corpse is a class "D" felony.~~
1 19 2. A person commits abuse of a human corpse if the person
1 20 mutilates, disfigures, or dismembers a human corpse with the
1 21 intent to conceal a crime.
1 22 3. A person commits abuse of a human corpse if the person
1 23 hides or buries a human corpse with the intent to conceal a
1 24 crime.
1 25 4. A person who violates this section commits a class "D"
1 26 felony.
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1 30 PATRICK J. MURPHY
1 31 Speaker of the House
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1 35 JOHN P. KIBBIE
2 1 President of the Senate
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2 3 I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and
2 4 is known as House File 432, Eighty-second General Assembly.
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2 8 MARK BRANDSGARD
2 9 Chief Clerk of the House
2 10 Approved _____, 2007
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2 14 CHESTER J. CULVER
2 15 Governor